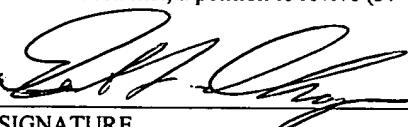


000FORM PTO-1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE REV. 2/01T		CUSTOMER NO. 22,852 ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 01197.0254 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.81)	
<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>			
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.  PCT/JP2003/013571	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE  October 23, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED  October 25, 2002	
<b>TITLE OF INVENTION: CAPSULE TYPE HARDENER AND COMPOSITION</b>			
<b>APPLICANTS FOR DO/EO/US: 1) Taketoshi USUI and 2) Yoshimitsu OHYAMA</b>			
Applicants herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:			
1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C 371.		
2.	<input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
3.	<input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.		
4.	<input type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).		
5.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).		
	a.	<input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).	
	b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.	
	c.	<input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed with the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).	
6.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).		
	a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.	
	b.	<input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).	
7.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).		
	a.	<input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).	
	b.	<input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.	
	c.	<input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.	
	d.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.	
8.	<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).		
9.	<input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).		
10.	<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).		
<b>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b>			
11.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98		
12.	<input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.		
13.	<input type="checkbox"/> A <b>FIRST</b> preliminary amendment.		
14.	<input type="checkbox"/> A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.		
15.	<input type="checkbox"/> A Substitute specification.		
16.	<input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.		
17.	<input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.		
18.	<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).		
19.	<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).		
20.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:		
	a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of cover page of International Publication No. WO 2004/037885 A1.	
	b.	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements.	

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37CFR 1.5) <b>10/532300</b>	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/JP2003/013571</b>	ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>01197.0254</b>
21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:		
<b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)):</b> <b>\$300.00</b>		
National Stage Search Fee..... <b>\$500.00</b>		
National Stage Examination Fee..... <b>\$200.00</b>		
<b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</b> <b>\$1000.00</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is <b>\$250</b> for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.		
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of additional 50 or fraction thereof (rounded up to a whole number)
63- 100 =	/50=	x 250.00
Surcharge of <b>\$130.00</b> for furnishing the oath or declaration later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)).		
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
Total Claims	16	- 20 = 0
Independent Claims	1	-3 = 0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) +\$360.00 <b>\$ 360.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL OF THE ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b> <b>\$1360.00</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½.		
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b> <b>\$1360.00</b>		
Processing fee of <b>\$130.00</b> for furnishing the English translation later than months from the earliest priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).		
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b> <b>\$ 1360.00</b>		
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). <b>\$40.00</b> per property. +		
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b> <b>\$ 1360.00</b>		
Amount to be refunded:		
charged:		
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>1360.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed. b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>06-0916</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. <b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.</b> Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.		
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.		
<b>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:</b> Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P. 901 New York Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20001-4413 EFC/FPD/sci DATED: April 22, 2005		
 <b>SIGNATURE</b> Ernest F. Chapman/25,961 <b>NAME/REGISTRATION NO.</b>		